PACIFIC RAILROAD CLAIM.

Agreement of the Attorney General Kith Reorganization Committee.

GOVERNMENT TO FORECLOSE LIEN

Washington, D. C., January 22,-Attorney neral Harmon today gave out the fol-

and says he is impelied to the course which he is pursuing with the hope of protecting distribution of the Union Pacatic and Kansas Pacific likes, including the inking funds, not less than \$45,754,000. The sale will be public, so that the government will receive the health of any like bids up to the full amount of its falls, principal and interest. The sum of the test that the contracts unless the United States of America furnish it therewith, and since the centract excludes the possibility of attaining that the contracts are successful to the course which he is pursuing with the hope of protecting just rights.

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THE LETTER PROM RODRIGUEZ.

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Washington, January 22. - The document which formed the basis of Senator Morgan's remarks in the senate on the Nicaragua canal today was a communication from Setor J. D. Rodriguez, minister of the reater Republic of Central America. It was a typewritten paper of several pages, sted at the Greater Republic's loration beadquarters in this city, January 15, 1897. It was presented to the senate by Senator herman as chairman of the committee on foreign relations, having been forwarded to him by Secretary Olney. Sener Redrigues Gened his communication by saying that as several bills relative to the construction of an inter-occanic canal through Nicarana have been for some time pending before both houses of congress, his povfument recently instructed him to examhe them and to make, under certain conditions, suitable representations to the sec-

ctary of state." He says he has accordingly examined the Various bills and finds that they are at wisnes in matters of detail, with the stip-slations of the contract of April 2, 1877, Texarkana, Ark. January 22.—P.A. Bare, between Niearagua and the canal company, the circle attention to the fact that the concession shall not be transferand that article of that contract provides said to concession shall not be transferand that article 23 provides that my conference of the sipulation shall entit a texarkana, an account of which was telegrared that article 23 provides that my conference of the sipulation shall entit a texarkana, an account of which was telegrared to the supulation shall entit a texarkana, an account of which was telegrared to the supulation shall entit a texarkana, and the first of the 10th to the hills before courses effect a transfer making the sourcement the absolute conference of the supulation shall entit to the same of the conference of the conference of the same of the conference of the conference of the conference of the conference of the supulation of the conference of the c between Nicaragua and the canal company

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and endeavoring to reach a joint arrangement with the Maritime Canal company of Nicaragua so that it may renounce a concession whose conditions it is unable to fulfill."

Washington, January 22.—Secretary Francis issued an order today dictating that all claimants to citizenship in the

Washington, January 22.—The president has approved the following acis: To probuilding at the Tennessee centennial ex-position, without advertising for proposals; constraing the law in reference to the award of life saving medals, so these medals may be awarded to persons not members of life saving crews.

THE PIELD OF POLITICS

The Struggle in Oregon.

Salem, Ore., January 22.—The deadlock in the organization of the house has been transferred to the senate. The Mitchell men will make a fight in that body for cognition of the house organized yester recognize them, they claim that since they have created a de facto house they can now proceed to vote for United States sension and their nominee will be sented. If the senate should not recognize the Benson house the situation would only be a son house the situation would only be some such the sufficient of working in harmony. Notwichstanding this, they claim the Mitchell men in the senate can enter a joint convention with members of the Benson house and vote for United States senson house and vote for United States.

Chicago, January 22. -Regarding rumors

f his possible appointment as secretary of

'If I have been appointed secretary of the treasury it is a complete surprise to me. I only hope that the report is not true, for the financial consideration involved in accepting the position would not be favorable to me. I do not know of any one who has gone to Canten in my behalf."

Still Not Agreed.

Salt Lake, Utah, January 22 .- In the tratorial ballot today three populists changed from Lawrence to Thatcher. Henderson gained one vote from Rawlins. Re-sult: Thatcher 24, Henderson 20, Rawlins 13, Allen 32, Lawrence 1, Nebecker 1, Pow-

Gow Visits McKinley.

Canton, Ohio, January 22.-Judge Nathar Goff of West Virginia, popularly credited with the autorney generalship in the cab-inet, reached the city today and had a con-ference with Major McKinley.

Complimentary Nomination. Topeka, Kan., January 22.-Republican nembers of the legislature in caucus toicht gave a complimentary nomination for atted States senator to J. R. Burion of

Fight in Idaho. Holes, Idaho, January 22.—The senatoria bailot today was: Claggett 27, Dubous 26 Mason 16, Lewis 1, Parkinson 1.

Charged With Morder.
Texarkana, Ark. January 22-F.A. Bass,
Joe Townsend and George Parks, all
white men, were arrested last night
charged with the murder of cell man Mo-

NEWS FROM FOREIGN LANDS

Venezuela Pays an Indemnity of Pifteen Hundred Pounds.

BURTON SUES FOR MINING CLAIMS,

Chile Negotiating for the Purchase of a Warship-Guards Against the Bubonic Pingue.

Pretoria, South African Republic, January 22.-The high court decided in favor of the American engineer, R. E. Burton, who sued the government for a declaration of rights in his favor respecting certain mining claims at Wittonstein, or in default, demanding the payment of 1,000,000 pounds sterling (\$5,000,000).

Chilenn Notes. New York, January 22.—A special to the Herald from Valparaiso, Chile, says: Vice Admiral Montt, formerly president of Chile, has left this city for New York. There was a grand military and civic demonstration

The report of the minister of finance for he year just passed shows a surplus on

hand over the amount estimated in the budget of 1,925,754 pesos. This leaves a surplus balance of 4,000,000 pesos.

The separation of the powerful Halmacadas party from the others of the liberal opposing parties has been consummated. This practically insures the stability of the systematic account.

This practically insures the stability of the government against the attacks of radicals, loose liberals and democrats.

A special to the Herald from Valparaise, Chile, says: it is said that a syndicate of American capitalists has associated with Chileans, and will start a big factory for the manufacture of all kinds of nails.

The minister of foreign affairs has sent a circular to the Chilean representatives of all Spanish-American republics, recom-mending the negotiation of treaties of re-ciprocal recognition of the liberal pro-

commons today Lord George Hamilton, secretary of state for India, read a message on the subject of measures taken by the Indian government to cope with the plague. He pointed out that there was no epidemic except in Bombay, Karachi and

Poona.

Experts, he admitted, predicted the plague in the winter, but he was hopeful that the measures adopted were beginning to have a real impression on the plague.

New York, Januty 22.-A special to the Heraid from Buenos Ayres says: The Arof construction.

New York, January, January 22 .- A report to the Herald from Guayaquil, Eucaformed a new cabinet. It is made up as follows: Minister of foreign affairs, Dr. Belisarlo Alban Mestauza; minister of the interior, Dr. Rafael Gomez de la Torre; minister of finance, Ignacio Rables; minister of the treasury, Isider Maria Suares; minister of war and navy, General Juan Francisco Morales.

York, January 22 .- A special to the Herald from St. Petersburg says two cases of the bubonic plague, which is raging it Fombay, are reported from Kamaran, Kamaran is an island off the west coast of Arabia in the Red sea.

A sever quarantine has been established by the Russian authorities.

Venezuela Paid Indemnity. spondent at Georgetown, British Guiana,

pounds sterling for the Uruan outrage I am unable to say whether this sum represents the total indemnity.

Traffic Stopped.

has ordered a stoppage on February 2 of all pilgrim traffic from Bombay and Karachi, on account of the plague. There are now over 1,750,000 persons employed on re-lief work and about 170,000 receiving gratuitous tollef.

Rhodes Returns to England. Plymouth, January 22,-Colonel Cecil Rhodes, formerly premier of Cape Colony, arrived here today from South Africa. He has returned to England to be present at the parliamentary investigation which is to be made into the Transvani raid.

Steamship Collision.

London: January 22.—The British steam-ship Salisbury, from Port Reath to Newpert, collided with an unknown steamer about four miles from Illiancombe, leven shire. The latter is supposed to have sunk with a crew of about twenty men. Sir Isane Pitman Dend. London, January 22.—Sir Isane Pittman.

the inventor of the system of shorthand writing which bears his name, is dead, Ho has been suffering several years from a complication of troubles.

Cardinal Binnebi Dend. Rome, January 22 .- Cardinal Angelo Bianchi, hishop of Palestrian, is dead. He was born in Italy in 1817 and was created

Blockaded With Snow. Huron, S. D., January 22.—The North-western, Milwaukee and Great Northern railroads are blockaded with snow, which has drifted badly. A Northwestern snow has drifted bedly. A Northwestern snow plow was thrown from the track near here today and Sam Boone, district superintend-cut, and two trainmen, were seriously hurt, Aberdeen reports trains abandoned last night because of a strong Chinook with from the northwest, and the fact that near-by all cuts are full of snow, frozen solid.

Harris County's New Court.

Austin, Texas, January 22.-The committee on judicial districts has agreed upon a favorable report on the bill to create a new civil district court for Harris county, where the docket is greatly over-crowded. In the governor's recommendations there is a clause suggesting that forty judicial districts are sufficient. It may be necessary, therefore, to add some other county to the district, should the new court be established.

Was indicated today for maintaining a public nuisance. The specific offense chargest is that upon the stage of the music half there is being given nightly a representation of scenes alleged to have transpired at the now immuse Seeley backelor dinner a few weeks ago.

A Hutchicson (Kan.) young lady broke ber engagement because young lady broke

a decision overruling the demurrer to the indictment for conspiracy against the American Tobacco company. The opinion discusses generally the law touching uson conspiracy by a corporation. The indictments were filled on the complaint of the officers of the National Tobacco company, who are makers of a rival brand of characters and were found under the anti-trost law of 185. By the decision of Judge Fitzgerald, the directors and officers grust scand trial.

COMPETITOR CLAIMS.

(Continued from First Page.)

focated in the mud. The troops had two men killed and seven wounded.

A column of troops under Colonel Tovarse encountered the insurgents along the left side of Cauto river, defeating and dispersing the enemy from Cayomen. On arriving at Guayamo the troops found the insurgents occupying a parapeted position, the two forts having been entirely destroyed and a tug boat blown up with dynamite. The Spaniards opened fire with artillery upon the enemy, which was en the right side of the river and the garrison by prompt movement succeeded in occupying and destroying the defences of the enemy.

The fort was attacked on January 16 by Calixto Garcia from the right and by Rabi on the left. The first attack was repulsed with great loss and seeing the impossibility of capturing him by assaults the insurgeous besieged the place and tried to cut of the water supply of the garrison but lost three men killed, had eight seriously wounded and twelve slightly wounded. The garrison was commanded by Lieutenant Eleos.

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Two insurgents, Ignacio Bernandez and Domingo Niebla, were executed yesterday at Santa Clara.

Dogged by Spanish Agent.

Atlanta, Ga., January 22.—Dr. Russell H. Conwell, the distinguished Philadelphia divine, who is now on a tour through the his travels by an emissary of the Spanish his pursuer since yesterday. Sherman Says It Is Not True.

the published statement that he and Fee-

"The new administration should invent something logical," said the something logical," said the something logical between the secretary and myself, but we have never discussed the question."

Studying Cubn.

Columbus, Ohio, January 22.—Senator Silas J. Williams of Alliance is in Cuba. and it is stated here today that he is the to study the situation for McKinley, He resides in McKinley's county, Sympathy in New Mexico.

Santa Fe, N. M. January 22.—A joint resolution has been adopted in the territorial council expressing sympathy with the patriots fighting for independence in the island of Cuba.

Mayor Resigned. Havana, January 22—Senor Quesada, mayor of Havana, has resigned.

THE SOUTHERN STATES. SHREVEPORT, La. The party of sixty

gentlemen from Missouri, Kansas and the Oklahoms Territory, reached this city in a special train on route to Port Arthur. HAMMOND, La,—II. J. Rhodes, ex-city marshal of Hammond, who had been held for the past three months for the mayder of Allen Lanier, was today exonerated of he charge.

the charge.

BIRMINGHAM. Ala.—The woods of Lafayette county have been awarining all day with detectives in search of task night's of fighting thins and forward train robbers. One man named Calhoun has been arrested on suspicion.

Leader of the improvement of the force shall be adequate emergencies of a state of was the county of the convention of the c

SHREVEPORT, La .-- A dual tragedy of SHREVEFORT, La.—A dual tragedy oc-curred this morning and one is dead end the other is so badly wounded that he ,— not recover. R. E. Carter and Sam Mur-phy had an altercation and Murphy stabled Carter three times, mortally wounding him. Carter fired at Murphy, killing him in-stantly. Both men are well known in this city. An old feud caused the tragedy.

Animals That do Not Grow Thirsty.

How long would you be contented with How long would you be contented with-out a drop of water to drink? There are many different kinds of animals in the world that rever in all their fives sip so much as a drop of water. Among these are the llamms of Patagonia and the ga-elles of the far cast. A parrot lived for flifty-two years in the "Zoo" at London, England, without drinking a drop of water. fird many naturalists believe that the only recovery inhibited by wild rabids in deand many naturalists believe that the only moisture imbited by wish rabilits is arrived from green herbage laden with downlary teptiles, serpents, lisards and certain barrachians. He and thrive in places on itiely devoid of water, and sieths are also said never to drink. An arid district in France has produced a race of non-drinking cows and skeep, and from the milk of the former Requefort cheese is made. There is a species of mouse which has established itself on the waterless plains of Western America, and which flourishes, notwithstending the absence of moisture.

San Francisco, January 22.—The story published recently in a local paper to the effect that the Island of St. John, in the South See, was inhabited solely by women, who were pining for husbands, has borne fruit in the incorporation of the United Brotherhood of the South Sea Islands. The capital stock is placed at \$20,000 and already over thirty men have subscribed.

Manager Indicted.

New York, January 22.—Oscar Hammer stein, manager of the Olympia music hall

Court be established.

Demucrer Overruled.

New York, January 22.—Judge Fitzgerald in general session today handed down

A Hutchicson (Kan.) young lady broke her engagement because see heard that he can be seen to the first part out that the other girl was only 2 years old.

setts; National commanders, Frank Brown of Massachusetts, A. A. Willey of Florida, S. G. Mc-Lendon of Georgia, Major F. G. DeFrees of Indiana, A. D. Wetherell of Illinois, J. W. Dupre of Louisiana, C. Rabb of Minnesota, E. A. McAlpin of New York, C. A. Dewey of North Carolina, S. E. Stebhins of North Dakota, W. R. Thompson of Pennsylvania, J. A. Hemphill of South Carolina and H. Wells of Vermont.

The following resolutions were adopted: Resolved, That this convention deems it a patriolic duty is urgently request congress to provide by law for the improvements and reforms in the army as set forth in the army reorganization bill, and that

shooting at a dog.

LITTLE ROCK. Ark.—The Arkansas
State senate has passed a bill, introduced by Senater Witt, providing that hereafter none but qualified electors shall held any position within the gift of the Arkansas printing by made available at once, to the period within within the gift of the Arkansas printing the pass of the Arkansas

THEY ASKED FOR REFORMS.

Resolutions Adopted by the Coast Defense Convention.

IRAINING VESSELS ARE WANTED, Congress Called Upon to Provide for the Retter Equipment of the National Guard.

Tampa, Fia., January 22.—The South Atlantic and Gulf States harbor and coast defense improvement convention finished its work this afternoon.

Papers were presented today by Lieutenant Fithian of the United States steamer Raleigh and A. B. Farquihar of Pennayl-vania, and one by Ira Harris of Minnesota was read by Colonel T. E. Miller of Ohio. H. C. McFarland of this city spoke at length of the meeting of the convention.

A permanent National Coast Defense Axsociation was organized, with the following officers:

Precident, General Horace Port of New York; secretary, Colonel James A. Frye of Massachusetts; vice presidents, J. G. Joroff of Georgia, General Low Wallace of Indiana, A. K. McClure of Pennsylvania, General R. A. Alger of Michigan, M. H. De-Young of California, William Miller of Florida, and John C. Roper of Massachusetts, V. A. Willey of Florida, Capitain J. E. O'ltrien of Florida, S. G. McLedidon of Georgia, Major T. G. DeFrees of Indiana, A. P. Wetherell of Hinnis, J. W. Durve of Louisian, C. Raish of Mannes and States of December of Course of Lendon of Georgia, Major T. G. DeFrees of Indiana, A. P. Wetherell of Hinnis, J. W. Durve of Louisian, C. Raish of Minnesota of Georgia, Major T. G. DeFrees of Indiana, A. P. Wetherell of Hinnis, J. W. Durve of Louisian, C. Raish of Minnesota of Georgia, Major T. G. DeFrees of Indiana, A. P. Wetherell of Hinnis, J. W. Durve of Louisian, C. Raish of Minnesota of Georgia, Major T. G. DeFrees of Indiana, A. P. Wetherell of Hinnis, J. W. Durve of Louisiana, C. Raish of Minnesota of Lendon of Georgia, Major T. G. DeFrees of Indiana, A. P. Wetherell of Hinnis, J. W. Durve of Louisiana, C. Raish of Minnesota of Lendon of Georgia, Major T. G. DeFrees of Indiana, A. P. Wetherell of Hinnis, J. W. Durve of Louisiana, C. Raish of Minnesota of Lendon of Georgia, Major T. G. DeFrees of Ind

It was a quiet day in Creede camp in the morning of the summer of '32. Most of the miners were away in the hills; many of the gamblers and others of the night shift were still sleeping, though it was how 4 o clock. A string of burros, laden with beavy loads of boards, which they were about to drag away up to the Last Chance, stood dreaming in San Lais avenue. Some fishermen with long came poles thrown over their shoulders were trailing out at the lower end of the town in the direction of the Rio Grande. A string of meany ore wagons was soming down the closed and the burses along the countain from the Amethyst mice. The brake on the forward wagon gave way when the team was nearly down to the foot of the hill, and instantly the heavy load shot irrward and the poor animals—there were six of them—bounded away in a mad effort to keep out of the way of the heavy load. The whoel horses appeared to understand.

the issued to the militia or National guards of the various States, and that the arms now in their possession should be turned over to the government.

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> WITH WARNER'S CUTE.

to observe those who passed to and fre belind him.

In a pleasant way I asked him if he was

the side.

The autumn winds blow bloak and chill.

The sighing, quivering, aspen waves.

About the summit of the hill,

Above the unrecorded graves.

Where halt, abandoned burros feed,

And coyotes call—and this is Creede.

Cy Warman.

HE MADE THEM ASHAMED.

And It Was Well Done, Whether He Intended It or Not. "The greatest of all faults is to be conown. Perhaps the second greatest is to be